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### **Coconino County Sheriff's Deputies and Search and Rescue Volunteers Search for Missing Woman**

Flagstaff, AZ –Coconino County Sheriff's Deputies and members of the Coconino County Sheriff's Search and Rescue Unit are attempting to locate 39 year old Tanya Morris of Flagstaff who has been missing since late Monday evening.

Investigation has revealed that Ms. Morris telephoned a friend at about 6:00 p.m. on Monday, March 8, 2010 and said she was going to walk her dog and then return home. Ms. Morris has not been seen or heard from since. Her vehicle was located off of South Interstate Highway 17 at the overlook located south of Munds Park.

Tanya Morris is described as a 39 year old white female, 5' 3" in height, weighing approximately 120 pounds with blonde hair and blue eyes. No clothing description is available at this time. Ms. Morris has her male Shepherd/Husky mix dog (Max) with her. The dog is described as being black/brown and white in color and is very protective and possibly aggressive in nature.

Coconino County Sheriff's Deputies, Coconino County Sheriff's Search and Rescue Volunteers, Arizona Game and Fish Officers, and Arizona Department of Public Safety Officers are conducting vehicle/road and foot searches in the area. Several officers who are trained and experienced in human tracking are assisting with the search.

Anyone with information regarding Tanya Morris' welfare or whereabouts is urged to contact the Coconino County Sheriff's office at (928) 774-5231 or 1-800-338-7888.

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